

Optional Customer No. Bar Code



00140

PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE

CHAPTER II

TRANSMITTAL LETTER
TO THE UNITED STATES ELECTED OFFICE (EO/US)
(ENTRY INTO U.S. NATIONAL PHASE UNDER CHAPTER II)

INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED
PCT/AU2004/000335	18 MARCH 2004	18 MARCH 2003
TITLE OF INVENTION		
IMPROVEMENTS IN THE DESIGN OF ELECTROSTATIC LOUDSPEAKERS		
APPLICANT(S)		
1. VAN DONGEN, Charles, Cornelus		
2. CHAMPION, Lindsay, Alfred		
3. HOWARD, Grover, Latham		
4. MACKINLAY, Robert, Neil		

Mail Stop PCT
Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

ATTENTION: EO/US

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

We draw the attention of the Examiner to the attached English language version of an

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.10*

(Express Mail label number is mandatory.)
(Express Mail certification is optional.)

I hereby certify that this paper, along with any document referred to, is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on this date March 28, 2006 in an envelope as Express Mail Post Office to Addressee, mailing Label Number EV 815 583 517 US, addressed to the: Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

GERALDINE MARTI

(type or print name of person mailing paper)

Signature of person mailing paper

WARNING: Certificate of mailing (first class) or facsimile transmission procedures of 37 C.F.R. 1.8 cannot be used to obtain a date of mailing or transmission for this correspondence.

***WARNING:** Each paper or fee filed by "Express Mail" must have the number of the "Express Mail" mailing label placed thereon prior to mailing. 37 C.F.R. 1.10(b).

"Since the filing of correspondence under § 1.10 without the Express Mail mailing label thereon is an oversight that can be avoided by the exercise of reasonable care, requests for waiver of this requirement will not be granted on petition." Notice of Oct. 24, 1996, 60 Fed. Reg. 56,439, at 56,442.

44757386U

IAP20 Rec'd PCT/PTO 20 MAR 2006

International-type Search Report from a foreign office in respect of counterpart PCT/AU2004/000335 that indicates the degree of relevance found by the foreign office. The Search Report makes consideration of any non-English art required. MPEP 609.

Form PTO-1449 is attached with reference copies (first page only for U.S. patent publications).

Respectfully submitted,



STEVEN I. WALLACH
LADAS & PARRY LLP
26 WEST 61ST STREET
NEW YORK, NEW YORK 10023
REG.NO.35,402(212)708-1884

FORM PTO-1449 U. S DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (Use several sheets if necessary)		ATTY. DOCKET NO.		SERIAL NO.	
		U 016157-1			
		APPLICANT			
		Charles Cornelius VAN DONGEN, et al			
		FILING DATE		GROUP	
U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS					
EXAMINER INITIALS	REFERENCE DESIGNATION	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
/L.S./	AA	4 461 931 A	JULY 24, 1984	PETERS	
/L.S./	AB	6 628 791 B1	SEPT. 30, 2003	BANK, et al	
/L.S./	AC	6 175 636 B1	JAN. 16, 2001	NORRIS, et al	
/L.S./	AD	4 628 275 A	DEC. 9, 1986	SKIPPER, et al	
	AE				
	AF				
	AG				
	AH				
	AI				
	AJ				
	AK				
FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS					
		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	TRANSLATION
					YES NO
	AL				
	AM				
	AN				
	AO				
	AP				
OTHER ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Dates, Etc.)					
	AR				
	AS				
	AT				
EXAMINER		/Lun Lao/ (09/29/2008)		DATE CONSIDERED	
EXAMINER:		Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.			

ALL REFERENCES CONSIDERED EXCEPT WHERE LINED THROUGH. /L.S./ Form PTO-1449 6-4